

How to choose a Nursing or Midwifery program

1 Determine program type



ENROLLED NURSE

A Diploma of Nursing is approx. 2 years and leads to registration as an Enrolled Nurse

OR



REGISTERED NURSE

A Bachelor or Master of Nursing is a minimum of 2 years and leads to registration as a Registered Nurse

OR



MIDWIFE

A Graduate Diploma is 12–18 months. A Bachelor or Master of Midwifery is a minimum 2 years. All 3 qualifications lead to registration as a Midwife

2 Go to the NMBA website

NMBA—Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia



LOOK FOR A PROGRAM ON THE 'APPROVED PROGRAMS OF STUDY' LIST



A program is added to the Approved Programs of Study list once it has been accredited by ANMAC and approved by the NMBA



Only a program that appears on this list will lead to registration or endorsement as a nurse or midwife

3 Select a program and education provider

4 Go to the education providers website to check:



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS



PROGRAM CONTENT



LOCATIONS



COST AND ANY OTHER PREFERENCES YOU MAY HAVE

CREDIT OR RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL) IS AT THE DISCRETION OF THE EDUCATION PROVIDER

5 Enrol

Follow the instructions on the education providers website to enrol in the program of your choosing.



6 Completion

At the completion of your program of study, you will need to meet the other registration requirements of the NMBA. Please refer to their website for details.